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Docket No.
3123-397**Declaration For Patent Application****English Language Declaration**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled

DISK DRIVE SLIDER WITH HIGH PRESSURE MICROPAD ABS

the specification of which

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☒ is attached hereto.

☐ was filed on _____ as United States Application No. or PCT International Application Number _____ and was amended on _____

(if applicable)

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, Section 119(a)-(d) or Section 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or Section 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application(s)

Priority Not Claimed

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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. Section 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

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(Filing Date)

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U. S. C. Section 120 of any United States application(s), or Section 365(c) of any PCT International application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. Section 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, CFR Section 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of this application:

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(Filing Date)

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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On behalf of Maxtor Corporation, having a principal place of business at 2452 Clover Basin Drive, Longmont, Colorado 80503, the undersigned appoints all attorneys and agents associated with Customer Number 25231 as attorneys and agents for Maxtor Corporation, with full powers of substitution, association and revocation, to prosecute any application that is filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office by any of such attorneys or agents and that is assigned to Maxtor Corporation, as well as all corresponding foreign applications, and further to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office and all foreign and international patent offices connected therewith.

On behalf of Maxtor Corporation, the undersigned authorizes any attorney or agent associated with Customer Number 25231 to execute any statement under 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) in relation to any application where such attorney or agent has a power of attorney in accordance with the foregoing.

On behalf of Maxtor Corporation, the undersigned authorizes all correspondence regarding the above-noted matters to be directed to the correspondence address associated with Customer Number 25231.

The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of Maxtor Corporation.

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CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

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Application No.: NOT YET ASSIGNED

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For: DISK DRIVE SLIDEER WITH HIGH PRESSURE MICROPAD ABS

MAXTOR CORPORATION, a Delaware corporation, certifies that it is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the patent application identified above by virtue of either:

- A. ☐ An assignment from the inventor(s) of the patent application identified above. The assignment was recorded in the Patent and Trademark Office at Reel ____, Frame ____, or for which a copy thereof is attached.
- B. ☒ A chain of title from the inventor(s), of the patent application identified above, to the current assignee as shown below:
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The undersigned has reviewed all the documents in the chain of title of the patent application identified above and, to the best of undersigned's knowledge and belief, title is in the assignee identified above.

The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to act on behalf of the assignee.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements, and the like so made, are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001, Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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